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AMENDMENT AND REMARKS ACCOMPANYING
REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Dear Sir:

This paper and the accompanying Request for Continued Examination (RCE) are being submitted in response to the Final Office Action dated May 23, 2007, having a shortened statutory period set to expire on August 23, 2007. Further examination and reconsideration are respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks.

No Amendments to the Specification are presented in this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are presented in this paper beginning on page 2.

No Amendments to the Drawings are presented in this paper.

Remarks begin on page 14 of this paper.